

Dining-Room Furniture

Entirely new line in Matched Period Suites in solid mahogany and oak at prices ranging from \$50.00 up—for 10 pieces

Buffets—made in all finishes, new designs just out, the very latest. Prices from.....\$15.00 to \$85.00

China Closets—The very newest, just from the factory, with mirror backs and glass shelves (if you want them); 20 patterns. Prices from.....\$13.50 to \$60.00

Dining Tables—with plank tops, new pedestal designs with the most approved locking device; tables that stand firm. Prices from.....\$6.00 to \$60.00

Dining Chairs—with genuine leather, cane or wood saddle seats, made to match our tables and buffets; full box seats. Prices from.....\$2.00 to \$11.00

New Dinner Sets—in French, Onondaga and Austrian china, English or domestic porcelain, all in stock patterns of the very latest and most artistic designs; large or small sets, just as you wish.

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Everything for Housekeeping, Brattleboro

CROSBY'S SEED OATS

We are the only house in New England that absolutely guarantee our Oats to grow.

Minimum: 95 per cent germination.

We have a carload of Bowler's

Fertilizers on track, consisting of

160 bags Stock Cereal Manure,

without potash.

100 bags Bowler's Superphosphate with ammonia.

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BRATTLEBORO, VT.

SELL practical household necessary novelties. Big manufacturers want ambitious men and women everywhere to show fine line of easy sellers. Live workers make big money.

The Reynolds Specialty Co. Montpelier, Vt.

COME IN AND LOOK OVER THE NEWEST AND

Latest Styles for Spring 1916

in Overcoatings, Suitings and Trousers

Suits, from \$20 to \$40

Trousers, from \$5 to \$12

Have your clothes made FOR YOU and get clothes that WILL FIT and give satisfactory service.

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Blue Ribbon Guernsey Butter and Pure-bred Bull Calves for sale.

Visitors always welcome. Orders taken for pure Maple Syrup.

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NEW SUBJECTS

—AT—

CLAPP & JONES'S

Tuesday, May 23, 1916

IS DE LAVAL SERVICE DAY

At Mosher & Tucker's Livery Stable

BRATTLEBORO, VT.

Come Early and Avoid Delays.

Tell Your Neighbors.

For the benefit of users of De Laval Cream Separators we have arranged

A DE LAVAL SERVICE DAY.

We urge that every De Laval user

bring his complete separator in for a

careful inspection, which will be made

free of charge. Should any part, due to

unusual wear or accident, need to be

replaced this will be done, the only charge

being for the price of the new parts used,

no charge for service.

A De Laval Service expert will be with

us to assist with this important work.

Bring in your separator complete on the

date mentioned and get the benefit of

our advice on the care and operation of

your separator, as well as the free ser-

vice. It is the policy of the De Laval

Company that every De Laval

separator give the best satisfaction at

all times. We want you to take

advantage of this free and useful service.

T. J. FITZGERALD,

West Swanzey, N. H.

—REMEMBER MAY 23d, 1916—

AUCTION!

A Chance in a Thousand to Buy

Nice Old Mahogany Furniture

also nice, clean household furniture of

all kinds.

I will sell at public auction

Friday, May 12, 1916

at 10 o'clock a. m.,

at my residence in Putney Village, Vt.,

the following personal property:

Two old mahogany bureaus, 1 old

mahogany commode, 1 mahogany wash-

stand, very old, 1 solid mahogany

card table with folding top and fluted

legs, a beauty; 1 mahogany center ta-

ble, folding top; 1 mahogany lounge,

very old; 1 mahogany three-leg, center-

post, round top table; 1 mahogany three-

leg, center post, small oval top stand;

1 mahogany swing table with leaves; 1

very large gilt framed mirror, and

many other antiques.

One black walnut chamber set; oak

chamber set, iron and wood bedsteads;

4 hair mattresses, 4 goose-feather beds,

pillows, bed linen of all kinds, com-

forters and bed quilts of all kinds, a

lady's dressing table (nice one), lady's

desk, couch, sofa, mirrors, rocking

chairs of all kinds, other chairs of all

kinds, china cabinet, book shelves,

square piano, dining table and chairs

to match, and kitchen utensils of all

kinds.

Fire-proof safe, Eddy refrigerator,

wash tubs, clothes wringer, bed ham-

mock, not hammock, also

One top buggy, sleigh, pair light work

harness, 2 heavy truck collars, 2 wheel-

barrows, garden tools, fire extinguisher,

lawn mower, iron bars, sledges, ham-

mers, chains, and a hundred other

things too numerous to mention.

If stormy, sale the next fair day.

C. W. ADAMS.

A. W. J. Wilkins, Auctioneer.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the stock-

holders of the Brattleboro & Whitehall

Railroad company that the annual meet-

ing of said company will be held at the

Brooks House in said Brattleboro on the

27th Day of May, 1916

at 10.30 a. m.,

to act on the following business:

1.—To hear the report of the Treasurer

and other officers.

2.—To elect a Clerk.

3.—To elect a Board of Directors.

4.—To transact any other business that

may legally come before said meeting.

Dated at Brattleboro, Vermont, May 4,

1916.

H. E. EDDY, Clerk.

BANK CHECK PAYMENTS

You may never make a mistake in the payment of bills, but you can control the mistakes of others by paying by check. Your endorsed and cancelled check proves your payment. Why not open a checking account with us and avail yourself of the safety and convenience of this method of paying bills?

BRATTLEBORO TRUST COMPANY

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE or to Rent—Farm. Box 1647, Townshend, Vt.

FOR SALE—One pair of oxen, weight 3,200, good workers. C. M. HOWE, East Dover, Vt.

FOR SALE—Few tons nice, early cut baked and a good driver; also one new carriage, express wagon and harness. G. N. BOND, 3 Locust St. Tel. 231-X. 15-17

FOR SALE—The Hotel at Putney, Vt. Partially furnished; might exchange. EDGETT CO., Brattleboro.

FOR SALE—Three-seated stage wagon, canopy top, Timken roller bearing axle. In good condition. F. E. JOHN, 18-19

FOR SALE—Light weight two-seated survey in excellent condition. Run only two seasons, also Concord buggy. Cheap for cash. FRED W. COLTON, Hinsdale, N. H.

FOR SALE—Bay horse, 8 years old, about driver and good driver; also one new carriage, express wagon and harness. G. N. BOND, 3 Locust St. Tel. 231-X. 15-17

FOR SALE—Small farm in Vernon, known as the Ray place. For particulars inquire of FAYETTE FORD, Vernon, or address S. L. BOND, Wilmington, Vt.

FOR SALE—We arrived the 25th with 31 head of horses. Two pairs blacks 3200 and 3500, one pair chestnuts 2500; four pairs grays, bays and browns, 2000 to 2200; several teams, 2000 to 2200; a few big mares, single horses, 1900 to 2200. Will arrive next load in 10 days. GILL-FORD & WOOD HORSE CO., F. J. Wood, prop., Shelburne Falls, Mass. 17-18

WANTED.

WANTED—Few good cows due to freshen in April and May. A. G. BARNES, Vernon, Vt. 12-14

WANTED—Highest prices paid for live poultry, also beef hides and veal skins. G. O. ALBOTT & SON. 17-17

WANTED—Waitress and chamber maid, combination work. Country girl preferred. NEWFAIR INN, Newfane, Vt. 18

WANTED—We want to list your prop- erty, no commission unless a sale is made. Write or call S. W. EDGETT CO. 18-18

WANTED—Reliable man in the retail wood and furniture business—one used to the care and driving of horses. FRANK B. PHELPS, Bellows Falls, Vt. 17

WANTED—Five girls to work in wood turning factory. No experience necessary. Wages \$6.50 to \$9 per week. Board and room \$3.50. C. E. DUDLEY CORP., RATION, Putney, Vt. Phone 51. 18

TO RENT.

TO LET—Pasturage for 15 head of young cattle, also office and farm for hire. Inquire of IRA JAY DUTTON, Wardsboro, Vt. 14-17

SPECIAL NOTICES.

FUR WORK of all kinds; repairing a specialty; new skins for sale. MRS. E. E. HOLMES, 59 Green Street, hours 9 to 4. Brattleboro. 46-17

CHIROPY and Shampoo Parlors— switches, combs, and hair dressing. To order. MRS. E. P. BAILEY, 117 Main St. Phone. 19-17

STATING AND ROOFING of all kinds and chimney cleaning done to order. D. TORREY, 69 Front St., Brattleboro. Telephone 478-W.

FUR GARMENTS made and repaired, including coats. Cut prices from April to August to avoid next season's rush. Estimates given. Would call. MRS. M. SHAW, West Northfield, Mass. 11-17

EXECUTOR'S SALE

Public Auction

In the Village of Bernardston, Mass.

Wednesday, May 10, 1916

At 9.30 A. M.

I will sell at public auction the real estate and personal property of the late Edward E. Benjamin, commencing at 9.30 o'clock a. m.

PERSONAL PROPERTY: 19 head of Aberdeen Angus cattle, 1 sow and pigs, 2 horses, consisting of a good one, 25 good general purpose horses, 1 young gray mare, partly broken, and one bay colt.

MILL MACHINERY, consisting as follows: Chase No. 2 sawmill, rope feed, in good condition, with blower, belts, saws, etc.; traveling crane, a good one, 25 horse power motor, 19 horse power motor, 1 1/2 horse power motor, 2 horse power motor, grain mill and corn cracker.

FARMING TOOLS: Five new sulky plows, 2 second-hand sulky plows, 3 corn planters, 2 cultivators, 3 hand plows, mowing machine, manure spreader, hay tedder, ensilage cutter, corn harvester, potato planter, potato digger, and a large quantity of other tools too numerous to mention.

About 15 tons of good baled hay.

AUTOMOBILES, WAGONS, CARRS, SLEDS and HARNESSES. Three heavy two-wheel wags, 2 dump carts, Concord buggy, top carriage, 2 two-horse sleds, one-horse sled, 2 sleds, model 42 Buick touring car, in good condition, 2 sets team harness, light driving harness.

Large quantity of household furniture.

Several thousand feet of logs and sawed lumber.

REAL ESTATE: Home farm, containing about 180 acres, suitably divided into mowing, tillage, pasture and timber land; large set of buildings, modern and up-to-date; five minutes' walk from railroad station, high school, churches, stores, and hotel. If you want a summer home or all-the-year-around farm, look this over; it will interest you. Two cottages houses for hire help. Two-thirds of purchase price can rest on mortgage at five percent, if purchaser so desires. One hundred and seventy-five acres of land in Leyden, Mass., known as the "Spartan" lot, containing 50 acres, well watered, with a good barn, and containing about 35 acres. Sprout lot, known as "Spartan" lot, containing about 11 acres. Torrey Hill pasture and wood lot, containing about 50 acres. Field sprout lot, containing about 8 acres. Merrifield lot, with about 100,000 feet of standing timber.

Prospective buyers will be shown the real estate at any time before the sale.

Ten per cent of purchase price will be required on each parcel of real estate at the time same is struck off.

Terms at sale.

Free lunch at noon.

Sale positive; no postponement.

Don't forget the date!

A. S. Atherton, A. G. Gallup, Auctioneers.

Frank R. Foster, Clerk.

LAURA F. BENJAMIN, Executor.

The Vermont Phoenix.

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BRATTLEBORO.

FRIDAY, MAY 5, 1916.

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(Entered at the Brattleboro post office as second class mail matter.)

The automobilists have turned approximately \$100,000 into the Vermont state treasury in the last three months. And they are not paying any more than they ought to in view of the way they use the highways and tear them to pieces. The whole idea of road building is undergoing a change because of the strain put upon the roads by the heavy cars, especially when chains are used on the tires.

The Bellows Falls Times states F. H. Babbitt would be pleased to be a delegate to the Republican national convention, if such is the desire of the convention. The ex-representative from Rockingham and ex-senator from Windham county can depend upon the hearty and voluntary support of his home county. Mr. Babbitt is a strong supporter of Charles E. Hughes for the presidential nomination, and is thus in accord with the views, as we believe, of a great majority of Vermonters.

The nomination for governor is coming to Horace F. Graham without effort on his part, as his qualifications for the office through natural ability and years of training are well recognized. There is a great difference between being unanimously supported before nomination and in winning after a hard fight, where the questions of policy and expediency come into play. Graham will be fortunate as compared to some other governors, who have felt that they had obligations and political debts to pay.

These are the days when the great outdoor is calling. After a long and tedious winter it is a pleasure to roam over the hills and back in the glorious sunshine. It is also a time when serious forest fires are started from a match carelessly thrown aside, or from a cigar butt dropped into a pile of leaves. It is a duty for every person who enjoys the outdoor life at this period of the year to use every precaution against starting a blaze that fanned by the wind may depose the scenery and cause incalculable damage.

The late Horace W. Bailey, United States marshal of Vermont several years, was a lover of the history, traditions and literature of the state. He worked for years gathering a collection of hundreds of volumes of Vermont books and pamphlets. The Phoenix suggested some time ago that some wealthy Vermont man who wished to do something for the state of permanent value should buy this collection intact. It is good news to know that several individuals joined in this good work and that the Bailey library has become the property of Middlebury college, where it will be available for the use of any person interested in historical research.

The fact that Charles Evans Hughes has been very careful not to say that he would not accept the Republican nomination for President is what is worrying the friends of all the other presidential possibilities. Far from eliminating himself from consideration, Justice Hughes has left himself in a position to be considered. He has merely refused to be a candidate for the nomination in the sense of personally seeking it or encouraging his friends to seek it for him. That is why the feeling is growing that if the nomination is tendered to him he will accept it, and that is why a majority of the Republicans one meets stick to Hughes as their first choice for the nomination.

In Oriental schoolrooms each pupil speaks his allotted task aloud, regardless of his fellow scholars.

A wine made from the juice of bananas is being manufactured by two Frenchmen living in Cochinchina.

The law gives the widow

a third, if there is any, but the law furnishes nothing. Life insurance puts up the money, and gives the widow something to live on, knowing something about the insurance we advertise. National Life Insurance Co., Montpelier, Vt. (Mutual)

ALBERT C. LAIRD, Special Agent Abbott Block, Brattleboro Vt.

Missed Something.

Mrs. McGreevy was a dinner guest one evening where a noted explorer was talking about "Progressive Patagonia," was the reply.

"Really?" asked Mrs. McGreevy with sudden interest. "And how do you play it?"—New York Times.

EXPENDITURE BY TOWNS.

Early in March Horace F. Graham, state auditor of accounts, sent out to each town, city, village and incorporated school district for a copy of its report for the last fiscal year. Reports or statements were received from all but two towns and almost all of the villages and incorporated districts. From these reports the auditor's office has compiled the following statistics, which may be of interest to the people of the state.

This tabulation shows that the several towns, cities and incorporated school districts expended for educational purposes, including the amount received from the state, during the last business year, \$2,163,173.59; that the several towns, cities and villages expended for highways, not state highways, \$757,154.25, but in this amount is included the distribution from the state treasury of the automobile maintenance fund; that the several towns, cities and villages expended upon permanent or state highways, including the amount received from the state, \$418,991.36; that the several towns and cities expended for the support of the poor, \$238,406.35; that the several towns, cities, villages and incorporated school districts expended for all other purposes except those heretofore enumerated, \$2,673,581.88.

The lowest tax rate in any town or city for 1916 is sixty cents, and the highest tax rate in any town or city is \$2.90.

The tabulation further shows that the total bonded and net floating indebtedness of the several municipalities as of February 1, 1916 was \$6,403,556.41.

The total grand list for the state for 1915, the latest available at this time, is \$2,514,490.78.

Men go and come, but institutions live on forever. Wantastiquet lodge of Odd Fellows, founded 70 years ago, saw in the early years of its history times of doubt and wavering, but unflinching members who believed in the tenets of the fraternity held it together, and today it is rejoicing in its new home, a beautiful building, equipped for lodge, social and recreational purposes. The order, with 600 loyal members, and prosperous financially as an organization, will continue always to be a factor for betterment and uplift in our community life. Our high-grade fraternal organizations bring men closer together and do a noble work of which the world outside has but little realization.

REVOLUTION SUBDUED.

Sinn Feiners Surrender in Dublin—

Great Loss of Life—Three Leaders

Shot in London.

The Sinn Feiners' Revolution in Dublin, Ireland, which was in full swing at the end of last week, ended on Sunday after seven days of fighting. The leaders first surrendered to the British troops and the following day the rank and file marched out from their strongholds and laid down their arms. A total of more than 1,000 prisoners are now in the hands of the authorities and about 400 have been shipped to England for imprisonment and trial later.

The censorship has been very strict, but it is evident that the loss of life was large as 188 persons died in the hospitals in Dublin. Of these 122 were Irish revolutionists and 66 British soldiers. This number does not take into account the men who were killed outright in the streets. Among the latter were a number of civilians who took no part in the fighting.

The British authorities dealt summarily with three of the leaders who were tried by court martial, found guilty and shot Tuesday in the Tower of London. These men were Patrick H. Pearse, the "provisional president of Ireland," Thomas J. Clark and Thomas MacDonagh. Pearse was the head of the Sinn Feiners' rebellion. He was the son of an Englishman, but was born and educated in Dublin. He was known as an authority on Gaelic literature and had lectured in America and other countries. He was only 34 years old. Clark and MacDonagh are not widely known, but they were among his trusted lieutenants. James Connolly, styled "commander general of the Republican army," is a prisoner in the Tower of London, seriously wounded. He will undoubtedly share the fate of his companions at an early date. Premier Asquith, in a statement in Parliament yesterday, intimated that the trials of many other revolutionists would be by court martial and not under judicial authority.

The revolution spread to Galway and other counties, but the outbreaks there were not serious. There was a large body of Sinn Feiners in Cork, but prompt action there prevented a revolution. Sackville street, the most beautiful section of Dublin, which is remembered by thousands of tourists from America, is a mass of ruins. The total loss of buildings and contents from the fires started while the revolt was in progress is estimated at close to \$10,000,000.

It's a real joke on the barber when he doesn't get wise that the man in the chair is deaf.